IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

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This matter is before the court on its own motion. I have reviewed the record in this matter and find that it is incomplete. In particular, Defendants have filed an Affidavit from Michael Millward that discusses a "Judgment by Default" entered by the Ninth Judicial District Court of the State of Nevada. (Filing No. <u>5-2</u> at CM/ECF p. 2.) Defendant labeled the "Judgment by Default" as "Exhibit 1" and indicated that it is attached to the Affidavit. (<u>Id</u>.) However, "Exhibit 1" does not appear to be attached to the Affidavit, nor is it included elsewhere in the record.

Moreover, Defendants' discussion of a state-court default judgment raises concerns regarding the *Rooker-Feldman* doctrine, which prevents lower federal courts from exercising appellate review of state court judgments. *Rooker v. Fidelity Trust Co.*, 263 U.S. 413, 416 (1923); *District of Columbia Court of Appeals v. Feldman*, 460 U.S. 462, 482 (1983). Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED:

1. By October 23, 2013, Defendants are directed to supplement the record with the "Judgement by Default" discussed in Michael Millward's Affidavit. Further,

Defendants are directed to file a supplemental brief addressing the application of the *Rooker-Feldman* doctrine to this matter.

- 2. Defendants' failure to supplement the record in accordance with this Memorandum and Order may result in the denial of their Motion to Dismiss.
- 3. If Defendants file a supplemental brief, Plaintiff may file a response within 14 days of such filing.

DATED this 24th day of September, 2013.

BY THE COURT:

Richard G. Kopf

Senior United States District Judge

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